

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
SAN ANTONIO DIVISION**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
)	
Plaintiff,)	
)	
V.)	CRIMINAL NO. SA-20-CR-00543-OLG
)	
FAUSTINO CAMPOS NAJERA (2),)	
GENARO ORTIZ, also known as)	
“CARITA”, (3),)	
VICENTE RIVERA CENICEROS (4),)	
GUILLERMO BERMUDEZ OLIVARES (5),)	
RAFAEL PALACIOS SANCHEZ (7),)	
HERIBERTO DE LA GARZA)	
SAUCEDO (8),)	
SALVADOR ELI LOZANO)	
ALVARADO (10),)	
JOSE LUIS NAJERA, also known as)	
“CHEPE” (11),)	
SERGIO IVAN CUELLAR, also known as)	
“CHECO” (13),)	
GERARDO SOTO GOMEZ (14),)	
HOMERO DE LA GARZA (15), and)	
NESTOR LOPEZ (16),)	
)	
Defendants.)	

GOVERNMENT’S NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTION OF COUNSEL

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

COMES NOW the United States of America, by and through the undersigned counsel, and hereby gives notice that Assistant United States Attorney Mary Nelda G. Valadez is now assigned to represent the United States in the above-captioned case on all matters involving forfeiture proceedings. Therefore, it is requested that Assistant United States Attorney Mary Nelda G. Valadez be added to the docket in the instant cause. Please remove Fidel Esparza III as counsel for the government in this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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